

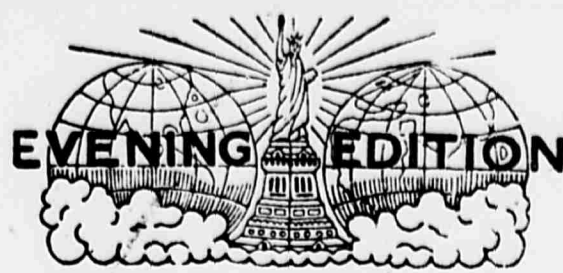
GOV. JOHNSON WINS IN MINNESOTA ROOSEVELT EXPLAINS THE RESULT

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TAFT'S VICTORY IS NOT SO COMPLETE AS THAT OF ROOSEVELT

Plurality in New York Greater Than That Given to Roosevelt in 1904, But Falls Behind in Electoral Vote.

Taft's sweep of the country was not so complete as that of Roosevelt four years ago. From present indications his electoral vote will fall 45 below the figures of 1904.

The new President will have a Republican Congress behind him. Taft's plurality in New York, according to revised figures, is 199,585. His plurality in Greater New York is 15,645. Bryan's loss of New York City was one of the biggest surprises of the election.

But Taft would have won without New York.

Practically complete returns from Maryland give Bryan a plurality of 332. The Republicans still claim the State.

West Virginia is also close, both sides claiming it, with the returns slightly favoring the Democrats.

Montana, which was placed in the Bryan column this morning, is close, and later returns indicate that Taft will have a small plurality. The figures, however, are far from complete.

Wisconsin gives Taft 75,000, and the Republican State ticket receives about the same majority.

Nebraska has gone for Bryan by 10,000. The Republicans concede the Legislature to the Democrats.

Gov. Johnson has carried Minnesota by a plurality which may reach 20,000. Taft carries the State by 100,000. Roosevelt had 176,000 four years ago.

The indications are that Bryan has carried Colorado by 4,000 and the Democratic candidate for Governor has won by 3,000.

While Taft has carried Indiana by 15,000, Marshall, the Democratic candidate for Governor, has won by 8,000.

The Democrats claim the Governor in Missouri.

Judson Harmon, the old Cleveland Democrat, candidate for Governor of Ohio, has won by a plurality of 10,000. Taft carried his home State by 50,000.

Bryan's downfall was overwhelming in that he lost where he was supposed to be strong. New York City gave a plurality of 15,645 for Taft.

He lost Ohio, where the labor vote was expected to carry him to victory. Chicago, a city that had been absolutely promised to him by Roosevelt and other Democratic leaders, went for Taft. New York, upon which the Bryan campaign managers had hoped designs, gave Taft the greatest plurality ever recorded a Republican candidate for the presidency.

Except the election of 1904, when it was against that Barker was beaten as soon as the first returns arrived from Massachusetts, where the polls close at 4 o'clock, there never was an election in which the finish of one of the candidates was so speedily apparent as that of yesterday. Bryan's fate was sealed when the news came from Buffalo that while the Democratic national ticket was running ahead of the figures of four years ago there was nothing in the returns to indicate a landslide.

The full effect of the Republican victory did not begin to appear until the early returns from Manhattan and the Bronx percolated through the Tammany Hall election officers, who had been ordered to hold them back as long as possible. These figures showed that Tammany Hall had fallen down and that Taft would carry New York City.

Roosevelt Declares Taft's Election a Triumph Over Unwise Radicalism

Just as His Nomination was a Triumph Over Reactionary Conservatism, Adds President —Says His Own Administration Was Always for Progress.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—President Roosevelt to-day gave his interpretation of the victory of the Republican party at the polls yesterday when he said to the newspaper men whom he received in his office: "This Administration has meant a steady effort and progress which should never be allowed to deviate into an unwise radicalism on the one hand, nor into an unwise conservatism on the other."

"The nomination of Mr. Taft was a triumph over reactionary conservatism and his election was a triumph over unwise and improper radicalism."

JOHNSON CARRIES MINNESOTA BY 20,000 MAJORITY

Re-Elected Governor, but the State Goes to Taft by 85,000.

DOUBT IN OTHER STATES

Close Margin in Missouri and West Virginia, and Mix on State Tickets Elsewhere.

(Special to The Evening World.) ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 4.—All doubt as to the re-election of Gov. Johnson has been swept away by returns received to-day. His majority over his Republican opponent now promises to be 20,000. Latest figures show Taft has at least 85,000 majority over Bryan. This may be increased to 100,000. Roosevelt had 176,000 four years ago.

INDIANA ELECTS A DEMOCRAT AS GOVERNOR.

Taft Carries State by 15,000 and Marshall Wins the Governorship by a Plurality of 8,000.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 4.—The Democrats of Indiana have elected their candidate for Governor, Thomas R. Marshall, and the entire Democratic ticket also has been carried to victory. The returns received are not complete enough to warrant making this statement as a fact, but such figures as are obtainable lead the Democratic managers to assert that the entire ticket has won.

Eight Democratic Congressmen have been elected, a gain of four. C. B. Landis, Republican Representative from the Ninth District, was defeated, and Jesse Overstreet, Republican of the Seventh District, may also have been defeated by a small margin.

The Democrats are also claiming the Legislature, which will have the election of a United States Senator.

Mr. Taft received a plurality of about 15,000, and Mr. Marshall was victorious over James E. Watson, Republican candidate, by about 8,000.

MARYLAND SEEMS SAFE FOR BRYAN.

Apparent Plurality of 332 for Nebraska, But the Republicans Still Claim State for Taft.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 4.—The latest unofficial returns from Maryland received this afternoon narrowed Bryan's apparent plurality to 332. The figures gave Bryan 105,512; Taft, 105,180.

These were complete, except Dorchester and Worcester counties, which were not thought likely to change the result. Bryan percolated through the Tammany Hall election officers, who had been ordered to hold them back as long as possible. These figures showed that Tammany Hall had fallen down and that Taft would carry New York City.

BRYAN LEADING IN MISSOURI.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 4.—An almost complete reversal of yesterday's indicated results in Missouri came to-day when the returns from the country precincts and the congested wards of the cities came in. Nationally the State is in doubt, with the chances slightly in favor of Bryan. His margin over Taft, however, is so slender that a few counties may wipe it out.

There is little doubt but that Attorney-General Herbert S. Hadley has defeated his Democratic opponent, Congressman William Conway, for the Governorship.

The second race took on a new aspect when it became apparent that the Republicans had a chance to carry the Legislature. If this has happened, either Lieutenant-Governor McKinley, Richard C. Kerns or John Kenning will be elected United States Senator.

If the body remains Democratic, Senator Stone probably will succeed himself, the returns showing that he has a good lead over Folk for the Democratic nomination.

STILL CLOSE IN WEST VIRGINIA.

WHEELING, W. Va., Nov. 4.—The Register claims the election of Bennett

FEATURE TO-DAY AT JAMAICA WON BY ROYAL ONYX

Cressina in Nose-and-Nose Finish With Winner Rouses Getaway Crowd.

JEANNETTE M. A WINNER

Black Mary, Bad News and Florence II. Among the First Ones at Jamaica.

JAMAICA RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—Black Mary 1, Queen Marguerite 2, Ardi 3.

SECOND RACE—Bad News 1, Im- itator 2, Golconda 3.

THIRD RACE—Florence II. 1, Queen Lead 2, Bigot 3.

FOURTH RACE—Royal Onyx 1, Cressina 2, Natasulga 3.

FIFTH RACE—Jeannette M. 1, Yankee Daughter 2, Prosper 3.

SIXTH RACE—Sententious 1, Merise 2, Midshipman Easy 3.

BY VINCENT TREANOR.

JAMAICA RACETRACK, Nov. 4.—The all-aged handicapper, the feature of the final day's racing the year, furnished one of the most stirring finishes of the season. Royal Onyx and Cressina went past the judges almost on even terms.

No one knew just which one had won, but the judges hung up Royal Onyx's number. Natasulga was third.

Cressina made most of the running, except in the first eighth, where Wood-lane was in front. After that Cressina sailed along in the lead all the way to within ten yards of the finish. Here she began to tire and Royal Onyx loomed up dangerously. He made up ground with every jump, and just as they flashed past the finish got his nose in front.

Black Mary a Winner. Black Mary won the opening event after getting the worst of the break. She had to go all around her field, but at the head of the stretch was in front. She then came away under a mild drive to beat Queen Marguerite, who made the early pace, only to drop back and then come again. Ardi was third.

Easy for Bad News.

Five were scratched from the second race, leaving Bad News the choice. He won the race in a gallop after disposing of Im- itator. The latter and Golconda fought it out all through the stretch for the place, and Im- itator got it. Burder made the early pace all the way to the far turn. Just when it looked as if he wouldn't be caught he stopped very badly and backed up the rest of the way.

Jockey Ural Is Hurt.

Jockey Ural had a narrow escape from death in the stretch during the fifth race. He was thrown from Spellbound right under the hoofs of the horses. He was kicked once or twice, but that was all. He rolled over and over in the dust and picked himself up. He was able to walk back to the paddock. Jeannette M. won the race, with Yankee Daughter second and Prosper third. At the time Ural fell his mount, Spellbound, was fighting it out with Jeannette M.

ELECTORAL VOTE BASED ON LATEST RETURNS

Roosevelt had a plurality of 196 in the Electoral College. Taft's plurality will probably be 99.

Republican States.

California	19	Michigan	11	South Dakota	4
Connecticut	7	Minnesota	11	Utah	3
Delaware	3	New Hampshire	4	Vermont	4
Idaho	3	New Jersey	12	Washington	5
Illinois	27	New York	39	Wisconsin	13
Indiana	15	North Dakota	4	Wyoming	3
Iowa	13	Ohio	23		
Kansas	10	Oregon	4	Total	291
Maine	6	Pennsylvania	31		
Massachusetts	16	Rhode Island	4		

Democratic States.

Alabama	11	Montana	3	Tennessee	12
Arkansas	9	Mississippi	10	Texas	10
Colorado	5	Missouri	19	Virginia	12
Florida	5	Nebraska	8	West Virginia	7
Georgia	13	Nevada	3		
Kentucky	13	North Carolina	12	Total	192
Louisiana	9	Oklahoma	7		
Maryland	8	South Carolina	9		

BODY OF HOTEL ANSONIA SUICIDE WHO SLEW MOTHER CLAIMED BY WIDOW

MORSE AND CURTIS ANXIOUSLY AWAIT VERDICT OF JURY

Judge's Charge Finished About Three o'Clock and No Decision Reached After Several Hours of Deliberation.

The fate of the erstwhile "Ice King," Charles W. Morse, and Alfred H. Curtis, former president of the National Bank of North America, is now in the hands of the jury. The trial ended this afternoon shortly after 3 o'clock, when Judge Hough submitted the case to the twelve men in the box.

When the jury filed out of the courtroom it was the impression of counsel for Morse and Curtis that a speedy verdict would be reached. After several hours had elapsed, however, and the jury had come to no conclusion Morse began to look anxious.

Judge Hough held himself in readiness at the University Club to answer any call from the jury room. The jury went to dinner at the Astor House at 6 o'clock, when it was announced that if a verdict were not reached at 10 o'clock to-night the jury would retire to apartments in the hotel.

In his argument Mr. Stimson took up the point at which the stock of the bank was purchased at the instance of the defendants by Primrose and Braun and the funds provided for through the Kate A. Wilson loans, later shifted to the New Amsterdam National Bank. Mr. Stimson pointed out that national banks were forbidden by law to speculate or deal in stocks of companies in general and their own in particular.

He hid under woman's name.

The Wilson loans were plainly to secure these transactions, the prosecutor said, and the transferring of the Wilson loans to the New Amsterdam Bank was a corroborative circumstance of the strongest character. And the thing showing beyond doubt, he continued, that both Curtis and Morse knew of the illegality of their acts was their repeated failure to include these transactions in the regular reports of the bank's condition to the Comptroller of the Currency.

Mr. Stimson closed by denouncing the \$126,000 Heinz check of Oct. 16, given by Morse, which the lawyer declared was simply the Morse way of forcing the bank to make that loan after Curtis had refused. The permitting of the \$120,000 overdraft on Oct. 16 was denounced. Mr. Stimson said the two men stood together, and he asked for a conviction of both.

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Revelation of Secret Marriage Follows Shooting of Mrs. Felix Veit and the Suicide of J. Nelson Veit at Hotel Ansonia.

ONE STORY IS THAT MOTHER REFUSED TO RECEIVE WIFE.

Young Man Shot His Parent Twice, and Then Inhaled Gas in the Bathroom After Locking the Door—Hints of Insanity.

While Mrs. Rebecca Veit, a wealthy widow, slept last night in her apartments in the aristocratic Hotel Ansonia, at Seventy-third street and Broadway, her only son, J. Nelson Veit, aged twenty-seven, slipped into her bedroom and shot her twice—in the heart and in the brain. She died instantly, it is believed.

Then the matricide locked himself in a bathroom and after a deal of careful preparation, killed himself by inhaling gas fumes. He was a member of the Stock Exchange, a member of several clubs and well known as a man about town. His friends and family think he was temporarily demented.

TAFT'S VICTORY BRINGS FULL TIME TO WORKERS.

Upon the announcement of Taft's election to-day the 5,000 operatives in two great thread mills in Newark, N. J., were notified that full time would be resumed next Monday. Since last April the mills have been running on part time.

Certainly there appears at this time to be no other reasonable explanation except suddenly developing insanity to account for the crimes of this tenderly nurtured, pampered young man. It developed after his death that he had been married for more than a year and that his wife has been living all this time only three blocks away from where the mother made her city home.

Conflict of Reports. According to one account, Mrs. Veit did not know that her son was married. Another report has it that she did know of the marriage and that her refusal to meet her son's wife socially might have had something to do with his acts.

An aunt of the young man slept a few feet away in an adjoining room while the murder and suicide were occurring. She knew nothing of the tragedy until she arose this morning. To keep this aunt from hearing the shots which killed his mother, it is believed that young Veit, and the revolver in the bed clothing. Powder scorches on the coverslid tend to bear out this theory.

A distressing complication arose this afternoon, when Mrs. J. Nelson Veit announced that she proposed to go to the Ansonia, accompanied by her lawyer, Charles H. Hays, and demand possession of her husband's body. It seemed certain that the blood relatives, who were in possession, would resist this move, especially as the couple have been living apart for some time.

It is known that the mother told acquaintances about the hotel that she expected her son for his reckless expenditures of money, but subsequent developments show that the real cause of the difference was the refusal of the older woman to receive her son's wife.

The agent shared by Mrs. Veit and Miss Veit was on the fourth floor of the hotel, facing the court on the Seventy-fourth street side. The beautifully furnished suite consisted of a parlor, two bedrooms and a bathroom and in along a hall. It was in the second of these bedrooms that young Veit shot his mother.

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SOLON SHINGLE BEATS THE FIELD AT PIMLICO

(Special to The Evening World.) PIMLICO RACETRACK, Md., Nov. 4.—The weather looked up with the Maryland Jockey Club to-day and laid all the best of the country. What was the only way to describe the conditions that prevailed, and that it would move before dark was a better bet than that Chandler would be elected. By the way, the defeat of the latter last morning was a gloom even the visitors here today that anything that ever has happened to them. They tried to smile and look cheerful, but it wasn't on the level and most of them were looking on some other manner in which to make a living. The track remained fast and the race was quite a promising one of seven races.

While the favorite, Horace E., was defeated in the opening event, the chances are the books lost money. The big money went to on Rose Fulton and after laying behind the pace to the stretch he came away and won easily from Horace E., with Castlewood third.

FIRST RACE—For all ages, 340 yards, six furlongs. Time—1:14 1/2. Rose Fulton, 18 (McCarthy), 12 to 5, 1 to 2 and out won.

Horace E., 15 (Nichols), 9 to 10, 2 to 5, 1 to 2 and out, second.

Castlewood, 19 (Ott), 20 to 1, 4 to 1 and 3 to 5 third.

Gravene, Sadley, Silk Horse also ran.

The second race was roused off most of its interest by the most start of the day. Jubilee Keen better left and three of four others as good as left. Racine II. was the early pacesetter, but money went to on Rose Fulton and after laying behind the pace to the stretch he came away and won easily, with King of Bashan second and Racine II. third.

SECOND RACE—Settling, three-year-olds and upward, \$100 added, mile and a half. Time—1:41 1/2. Solon Shingle, 18 (McCarthy), 6 to 1, 1 to 2 and 2 to 5 won.

Racine II., 15 (J. J. Walsh), 15 to 1, 1 to 1 and 1 to 2 second.

Amel, Paint, Mansfield, Alanda, Left, Race Street, Robinson, Flaming, Sally, etc., also ran.

Ontario was the favorite for the third